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METHOD THEREOF

REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated September 28, 2005,
submitted herewith is the required Verified English Translation and Statement of Accuracy.

Favorable action on the merits is now requested.

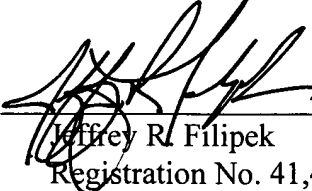
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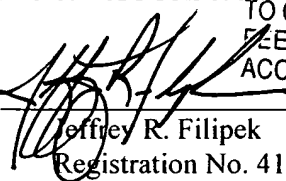
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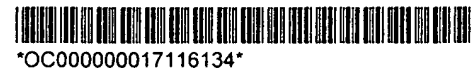
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Sir:

I, Junichi KAWABATA, declare:

that I am thoroughly familiar with both the Japanese and English languages;

that the attached document represents an accurate English translation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/532,005 filed April 19, 2005; and

That I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date: December 26, 2005


Junichi KAWABATA